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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

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: Examiner: Barry Choobin

Serial No. 10/784,099

: Group Art Unit: 2625

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For SCATTER AND BEAM HARDENING CORRECTION  
IN COMPUTED TOMOGRAPHY APPLICATIONS

### **ELECTION AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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SIR:

In response to the Office Action mailed on 9 September 2005, please amend the above-referenced application as follows.

If any additional fees for the accompanying response are required, the Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees that may be required to Deposit Account 07-0868.

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper;

**Remarks** begin on page 9 of this paper.